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### **Big Brothers Big Sisters** of North Texas

www.bbbsnt.org

October 23, 2003

Ms. Nada Ruddock NBC 5 3900 Barnett Street Fort Worth, Texas 76103

Dear Ms. Ruddock.

Thank you for your donation of a Dallas Mavericks and Dallas Stars Suite to Big Brothers Big Sisters of North Texas Each year, private contributions provide additional funding to support the programs offered by Big Brothers Big Sisters. Thanks to you and others like you, our agency can continue to improve the lives of many more at-risk children in our seventeen-county area.

Through our mentoring programs, kids from single-parent homes are matched with adult volunteers who provide them with friendship, guidance and support Your contribution allows us to create and support these one-to-one relationships as well a provide services to the children waiting to be matched with a Big Brother or Big Sister In addition to the one-to-one matching we provide professional case management school and corporate-based mentaring recreational and educational activities and other programs that help out kids graduate high school and pursue higher education.

Proper credit of your donation has been entered into our records. Your contribution is fully tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. In compliance with tax laws regarding charitable gifts, we acknowledge that no goods of services were provided in exchange for your donation.

Again, we thank you for your support of our programs. Your investment will make a positive impact on the lives of the children we serve.

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Becky Bullard

Director of Individual Giving





Benefiting the Local Multiple Sclerosis Society

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December 15, 2003

Nada Ruddock NBC5 3900 Barnett St. Fort Worth, TX 76103

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### Dear Nada:

In our fifteenth season, Hangman's House of Horrors entertained 21,842 patrons and raised a grand total of \$349,243! Net proceeds will be donated to the Multiple Sclerosis Society to provide services to over 7,500 local MS clients. We proudly remain the most successful charity haunted house in the world!

Thank you so much for donating the production and airing of our spot, and providing the celebrity host for our VIP Night. Your generous support helped us excel. Please accept the enclosed Certificate of Appreciation with our most genuine gratitude.

We hope you'll make plans to join us again in 2004. We'll keep the lights OUT for you!

With much appreciation,

D'Ann Dagen, Your #1 Far-Producer



Breaking the Cycle of Abuse One Child at a Time

January 12, 2004

Nada Ruddock NBC 5/KXAS-TV 3900 Barnet St. Fort Worth, TX 76103

Dear Ms. Ruddock:

With the end of 2003 and the beginning of the New Year, we want to once again thank NBC 5/KXAS-TV for sponsoring Children's Advocacy Centers<sup>TM</sup> of Texas' 2003 Author Luncheon. Your generous donation enabled us to raise \$30,000 to support 52 Children's Advocacy Centers throughout the state, providing services for more than 25,000 child victims of abuse this year. We are also pleased to announce the opening of 6 new centers this past fall. With these additions, Children's Advocacy Centers now serve 136 of Texas' 254 counties, reaching 90% of the state's population. Thank you for helping ensure that many, many children in our state have access to the caring and compassionate services a Children's Advocacy Center provides.

Additionally, we are pleased to announce that Andrew Vachss, well-known attorney and author who has devoted his life to protecting children will be the featured speaker for the 2004 Author Luncheon. Since 1971 Mr. Vachss has been tireless in his efforts to understand and respond to the issue of child maltreatment. His significant impact in this critical area has been through means as diverse as advocacy, legal representation, lectures, articles, consultations, and program development. He devotes his legal practice exclusively to representing abused children and youth. Beyond these formal efforts Mr. Vachss has used his well-known and respected crime novels as another powerful means to illuminate this issue for an even broader audience. He is the recipient of several literary awards and is a well-known lecturer and speaker. His many books include the "Burke" series in which the protagonist is a former child abuse victim, and "Another Chance To Get It Right", a collection of short stories on how to protect children from abuse. He has appeared on the Oprah Winfrey show and is a frequent contributor to Parade Magazine.

More information about the luncheon and Mr. Vachss will be sent to you soon, but in the meantime if you have any questions please contact our office, (512) 258 – 9920. Enclosed you will find a form for your tax records regarding your 2003 sponsorship and charitable contribution. Again, thank you for supporting Children's Advocacy Centers<sup>TM</sup> of Texas.

Sincerely,

Debbie Davis

Executive Director

Carol W. Green

Director, Resource Development

### Ruddock, Nada (NBC)

From: Sent: donations@networkforgood.org Monday, July 21, 2003 3:44 PM

To:

nada.ruddock@nbc.com

Subject:

Receipt for donation through Network for Good

Thank you for your generosity!

Thank you for your tax-deductible contribution using the Network for Good Giving System. You may save or print this receipt for your tax records. It certifies that you have made this donation as a charitable contribution and you are not receiving any goods or services in return.

Your credit card will be billed as Network for Good instead of the names of the charities receiving the funds. Your donation will be processed as follows:

Name: Ruddock Nada

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City: Fort Worth State/Province: TX Zip/Postal Code: 76103

E-mail: nada.ruddock@nbc.com

Phone: 817-654-6359 Method of Payment:

Date: Mon, 21 Jul 2003

Time: 4:44 PM

Reference Number: 130780 Authorization: Accepted

Nonprofit Organization: Dallas Foundation

Address: 900 Jackson St., Ste 150 Dallas , TX 75202

Designated Project: United Hispanic Professionals

Dedication: Amount: \$ 500

Nonprofit Organization: Network For Good Address: 235 Montgomery Street Suite 1220 City, State Zip: San Francisco, CA94104

Designated Project: Support for Network For Good Giving System

processing fees Amount: \$ 12.04

The above information relating to you, the donor, is used only to complete your donation. If you made your contribution anonymously, the information will not be provided to the charity. Please visit Network for Good ( http://www.networkforgood.org ) for more information on privacy and security.

Unless you specified additional funds to help cover the costs associated with collecting and distributing your contribution, Network for Good will cover all of the costs. Every penny of your contribution will go to the charity you specified. That organization will owe no fees, charges or commissions on the contribution.

Your contribution is being made to Network for Good, a nonprofit, tax-exempt organization, which will distribute your donation to the charity you have designated. If the charity you have selected cannot or does not accept donations, is not recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as a public charity, or is not in good standing with federal and state regulators, Network for Good will contact you to redirect your donation. If you have questions about your donation, please contact our customer service representatives by e-mail at donations@networkforgood.org.

Thank you for visiting Network for Good!



# Dallas/Fort Worth Network of Hispanic Communicators

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Nada Ruddock KXAS Channel 5 3900 Barnett St. Fort Worth, Texas 76103

Ms. Ruddock:

Thank you for your continued support of the DFW Network of Hispanic Communicators, a group of print and broadcast journalists dedicated to creating diversity in the media. The Network scholarship drive for 2004 is now underway. Our challenge this year is to raise more than \$30,000.

The attached sponsorship list indicates the benefits associated with each level. As a (level) sponsor last year, Ms. Ruddock, we look forward to your same level of participation for the 2004 banquet. This definitely allows KXAS Channel 5 to make a substantial impression on the education of tomorrow's journalists.

Student winners have traditionally received scholarships in individual amounts from \$750 - \$2,500. Our scholarships are awarded based on student financial need and demonstrated journalistic ability.

Our scholarship recipients and their parents will attend our annual scholarship awards banquet to be held in April at the Women's Museum in Dallas. I hope you will attend this gala affair. The DFW Network of Hispanic Communicators is a nonprofit group with a 501(c)(3) status. If you need more information, I can be reached at (214) 421-8877. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Carmen Garcia

Treasurer

Cynthia Lyo: President

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December 30, 2003

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With much appreciation,

D'Ann Dagen Producer



# ERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

presented to

# Nada Ruddock

For contributing to the success of the 2003 Hangman's House of Horrors benefiting local programs of the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

It's people like YOU that make a difference!

THE HANGMAN

THE PRODUCER

Will Birkholz 2540 Rutherford Irving, TX 75062

Program Director WFAA Channel 8 606 Young Street Dallas, TX 75202

August 25, 2003

### Dear Sir or Madam:

Like everyone, I depend on weather reports to help me decide my week and day. No one is better at forecasting and reporting weather than Troy Dungan. He blazes a trail few are able to follow. He's the master of his realm. I respect him for his charity work, like his Christmas Toys for Tots drive. And I appreciate his devotion (He often stays late in incremental weather, to insure nothing serious is brewing in the sky, or to insure the threatening weather has passed). I depend on his weather reports. But the one thing he has that not one of his competitors on channels 5 and 11 have is style. From his bow ties to his smile, he has everyone beat. He has style, a flair for relaying the latest in weather.

Out of everyone on your staff, weather and news, Mr. Dungan is whom I appreciate the most.

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Sincerely,

Will Birkholz

### Will Birkholz 2540 Rutherford Irving, TX 75062

Program Director WFAA Channel 8 Daybreak 606 Young Street Dallas, TX 75202

August 25, 2003

### Dear Sir or Madam:

I would like to take a few minutes to tell you why Daybreak is my favorite news program to watch in the morning. The main reason I believe channel 8 offers the best morning news—the reason you rise far above your competitors on channels 5 and 11—are your anchors. Just as pasta is only as good as its sauce, news is only as good as its anchors. While all your anchors do a great job, your obvious star is Scott Sams. Mr. Sams' folksy and witty humor makes him a joy to watch. He comes across as a true-and-true, born-and-raised Texan. I regularly laugh at his jokes and homespun ways, and that sets me off on the right footing in the morning—in a good mood to face the day. Just as important as having a good breakfast is starting the day in a good mood. Running parallel with Mr. Sams' homey demeanor is his professionalism. He's very sharp and knows his job well.

Now, Mr. Sams is not the only reason I watch channel 8 Daybreak. Debbie Denmon is also professional, knows her job well, and is pleasant to watch and is another reason I watch your news program. You've had several anchor changes, as your anchors play musical chairs, but Ms. Denmon seems able to mesh perfectly with anyone she coanchors—and that's a skill few have.

I would also like to acknowledge Alexa Conomos. She is not only easy on the eyes, she gives the driving report with flair.

Greg Fields and Steve McCanley round out the cast of characters. They give accurate and polished weather reports. They leave their competition on channels 5 and 11 in their wake.

I appreciate the fill-in anchors as well. Brad Hawkins, Jeff Brady, Jim Douglas, and Janet St. James are great, too.

How your news team is able to have a pleasant attitude and flash smiles everyday is beyond me. But they all do it. Again, I watch news 8 Daybreak because of Scott Sams, Debbie Denmon, Greg Fields, Steve McCanley, Alexa Conomos, Brad Hawkins, Jeff Brady, Jim Douglas, and Janet St. James. Keep up the great work!

I hope I didn't leave anyone out. If I did, include him or her in the round up.

Sincerely,

Will Birkholz

From:

Clark, Ann - WFAA

Sent:

Thursday, January 02, 2003 2:39 PM

To:

'drphil@cox-internet.com'

Subject:

The Photographer's REVISED

So sorry... I meant to write Saturday, 1/4, 7-8 AM.

Let me know if I can be of additional assistance.

Best regards,

Ann Clark Program Coordinator WFĂA-TV ----Original Message-----

From: Clark, Ann - WFAA Sent: Thursday, January 02, 2003 2:34 PM

To: 'drphil@cox-internet.com' Subject: The Photographer's

Thank you for writing.

We will be airing The Photographer's Special on Saturday, 1/4, 7-9 AM.

Let us know if we can be of additional assistance.

Best regards,

Ann Clark Program Coordinator WFĂA-TV ----Original Message-----From: bihelpdesk

Sent: Thursday, January 02, 2003 2:26 PM

To: Clark, Ann - WFAA

Subject: CASE-f25c261746.93.88.fa.69.1e577566-CASE Question - Enjoyed very much the piece on your photojournalists! Would like for you to show

it again

TicketID: CASE-f25c261746.93.88.fa.69.1e577566-CASE

Site: www.wfaa.com

Referrer: http://www.wfaa.com/ Email: drphil@cox-internet.com

First Name: Vicki Last Name: Cox Phone: null

Ticket Type: Question

Browswer: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 5.14; Mac PowerPC)

Entry Date: 01-JAN-2003 10:21AM

Dear Vicki,

We have received your e-mail. Thank you so much for taking the time to write us.

Your question has been forwarded to the programming department for resolution. You will receive an answer to your question soon. We appreciate your feedback.

Thank you for your continued support.

Best Regards,

### LaTonya S.

From: Vicki Cox(drphil@cox-internet.com)
To: null
Date: 01-JAN-2003 10:21AM

Enjoyed very much the piece on your photojournalists! Would like for you to show it again so my 15 year old son can see it. Could you add to it suggestions from the photojournalists themselves on making it a career?

V.Cox

To: Subject: rkwholesale@texoma.net RE: The Photographers

Thank you for you kind comments regarding The Photograhers special.

Your e-mail has been forwarded to our news photographers.

We appreciate you taking the time to write us, and let us know if we can be of additional assistance.

Best regards,

Ann Clark Program Coordinator WFAA-TV

WFAA-TV
----Original Message-----

From: bihelpdesk Sent: Monday, January 13, 2003 10:12 AM

To: Clark, Ann - WFAA

Subject: CASE-f25c6acaf9.93.88.fa.6a.4d4001e0-CASE comm- The

Photographers

TicketID: CASE-f25c6acaf9.93.88.fa.6a.4d4001e0-CASE

Site: www.wfaa.com

Referrer: http://www.wfaa.com/ Email: rkwholesale@texoma.net

First Name : Karen Last Name : Hall Phone : null

Ticket Type: Comment

OS:

Browswer: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 6.0; Windows 98)

Entry Date: 10-JAN-2003 01:41PM

Dear Karen,

Thank you for your e-mail.

Everyone here at WFAA - TV strives everyday to provide the most personally relevant news and information for our customers. Your comment will be directed to the programming department.

Thank you again for your e-mail. We appreciate your feedback.

Best Regards,

Deacon K.

-----Original Message-----

From: Karen Hall(rkwholesale@texoma.net)

To: null

Date: 10-JAN-2003 01:41PM

Thank you so much for the program "The Photographers" which aired Jan. 1st. I remembered last year's program and was so excited that you were showing one this year. I love getting to hear the thoughts and comments by the photographers about what the story meant to them. It is a fascinating review of the previous year with a personal touch.

If this email has reached the wrong person, please forward to right one. Thanks again for a wonderful show. Karen Hall

To: Subject: jpw002@hotmail.com The Photographer's

Thank you for writing.

Your kind comments will be directed to the producers of this special.

We will be rebroadcasting The Photographer's on Saturday, 1/4, 7-8 AM.

Let us know if we can be of additional assistance.

Best regards,

Ann Clark Program Coordinator WFAA-TV

----Original Message----

From: bihelpdesk Sent: Thursday, January 02, 2003 2:29 PM

To: Clark, Ann - WFAA

Subject: CASE-f25befb6ca.93.88.fa.6e.1ea3271e-CASE Question - PHOTOGRAPHER'S 1hour program if this production will air again

TicketID: CASE-f25befb6ca.93.88.fa.6e.1ea3271e-CASE

Site: www.wfaa.com

Referrer: http://www.wfaa.com Email: jpw002@hotmail.com

First Name : Jp Last Name : Waldron

Phone: null

Ticket Type: Question

OS:

Browswer: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 6.0; Windows NT 5.1)

Entry Date: 01-JAN-2003 10:38AM

Dear Jp,

We have received your e-mail. Thank you so much for taking the time to write us.

Your question has been forwarded to the programming department for resolution. You will receive an answer to your question soon. We appreciate your feedback.

Thank you for your continued support.

Best Regards,

LaTonya S.

-----Original Message-----

From: Jp Waldron(jpw002@hotmail.com)

To: null

Date: 01-JAN-2003 10:38AM

Just wanted to comment on the PHOTOGRAPHER'S 1hour program, that air'd @9am New Years Morning. I really enjoyed the program, an look forward to more productions of this nature, I do have a question, I would like to know if this production will air again, and if so, I'd like to record it, so if it is, could you please inform me as to the date(s) & time(s). Again, great job.

Sincerely, Jp Waldron 3115 Misty Oak Drive Highland Village, TX 75077 November 8, 2003

Program Director WFAA Television 606 Young St. Dallas, TX 75202

Dear Program Director,

I want to thank you for your HDTV broadcasts and encourage you to do more of them. Monday night football is terrific and and we often watch prime-time shows that are in HDTV.

Please keep taking a leadership role in bringing this new technology to us, especially sporting events. College football would be great in HD.

Thanks and best regards,

Phil Coup



### DAVID R. WALTHER PROGRAM DIRECTOR

November 21, 2003

Phil Coup 3115 Misty Oak Drive Highland Village, TX 75077

Dear Phil:

Thanks very much for your recent letter! We really appreciate your kind words.

WFAA has put a lot of time, energy, and capital into HD technology. We've also encouraged the network and syndication studios to provide more high definition programming. And no question, sports events are perfect for this format. We expect that as the technology advances, more of the competitions will be televised in HD (including college football).

I have enclosed my business card. Feel free to call if you'd like an update on the availability of any program in HDTV.

Thanks again for writing.

Best regards,

David R. Walther

From:

Clark, Ann - WFAA

Sent:

Monday, December 29, 2003 3:41 PM

To:

'classy7068@aol.com'

Subject:

RE: Turtle Creek Chorale Special

Thank you for writing.

Your kind comments have been forwarded to the producers of "Signs of Joy with the Turtle Creek Chorale."

Thanks again for writing, and let us know if we can be of additional assistance.

Best regards,

Ann Clark Program Coordinator WFAA-TV

First Name: Mrs Last Name: Cobb

Email: classy7068@aol.com

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* User Feedback \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Thank you so much for showing the Dallas choir all male singing group last night at 6:30pm. What a lovely and timely show! Really enjoyed the music and show and was the first time I'd ever heard them. Thanks again for putting on such a wonderful, family oriented, holiday show.

From:

Clark, Ann - WFAA

Sent:

Monday, December 29, 2003 3:50 PM

To:

'iamauntboo@sbcglobal.net'

Subject:

RE: Customer Service Inquiry - www.wfaa.com

Thank you for writing.

So sorry, we only had the one airing scheduled. If you are interested in a video copy of "The Nasher Sculpture Garden: A Gift to Dallas" please contact Maria May at the Nasher Center. Her e-mail address is mmay@nashersculpturecenter.org.

Let us know if we can be of additional assistance.

Best regards,

Ann Clark Program Coordinator WFAA-TV

First Name: Betty Last Name: Finnell

Email: iamauntboo@sbcglobal.net

I saw the Nasher Sculpture garden documentary on WFAA last night and want to know when i will air again. Thanks for your help. Betty Finnell Art Teacher Fairhill School

bfinnell@fairhill.org iamauntboo@sbcqlobal.net

From:

Clark, Ann - WFAA

Sent:

Monday, December 22, 2003 2:03 PM

To:

'cyndi@dbu.edu'

Subject:

RE: Customer Service Inquiry - www.wfaa.com

Thank you for writing.

Currently "The Nasher Sculpture Garden: A Gift to Dallas" is not scheduled for a rebroadcast. However, if you are interested in a video copy, please contact Maria May at the Nasher Center. Her email address is mmay@nashersculpturecenter.org.

Let us know if we can be of additional assistance.

Best regards,

Ann Clark Program Coordinator WFAA-TV

First Name: Cyndi Last Name: Pettit Email: cyndi@dbu.edu

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* User Feedback \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Will WFAA re-air the special on the Nasher sculpture garden that was shown originally on Wednesday, December 10th. If so, what date and time will it be shown again? Thanks for this great program! Cyndi

From:

Clark, Ann - WFAA

Sent:

Friday, December 05, 2003 2:40 PM

To:

'NymphensittichV@cs.com'

Subject:

RE: Customer Service Inquiry - www.wfaa.com

Thank you for writing.

We really appreciate the feedback from you for this kind of programming. Hopefully, more opportunities for shows like this will become available.

Thanks again for your comments.

Best regards,

Ann Clark Program Coordinator WFAA-TV

First Name: Laura V. Last Name: Borchin

Email: NymphensittichV@cs.com

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* User Feedback \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Thank you very much for airing "Town Hall Meeting with Peter Jennings" on Sunday evening (5:00 P. M. November 23, 2003 on channel 8; WFAA).

The program was extremely information and the panel very professional. The broadcast helped me to view the news, coverage and programming (not only regular news broadcasts, but also programs like "Sixty Minutes") in a whole new light.

As brought up in the program concerning the U. S. being isolationist in our view and knowledge of the world, I would recommend that the news media evolve to include world views in coverage as well as more in depth coverage of events from around the world.

Thank you, again for air this program! The panelists are extremely well trained, knowledgeable professionals! It is great to know that people like Peter Jennings as well as the rest of the staff are well informed and take the time and effor to know what is going on in other news around the world.



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JOHN P. IRVIN

November 16, 2001

Mr. Dave Muscari Vice President – Marketing WFAA – Channel 8 606 Young Street Dallas, TX 75202-4870

Dear Mr. Muscari:

On behalf of the Greater Dallas Veterans Foundation, 2001 Chairman Cloyde Pinson and the entire board, we want to thank you for your fantastic support of the annual Dallas Veterans Day Parade with PSAs and news stories.

Your efforts resulted in a great turnout for the parade, the biggest ever for Dallas. The patriotism shown by Dallasites, including parade participants was greatly enhanced by your dedication and support of this tribute to our veterans and those who made the ultimate sacrifice both in the military and during the tragedy of September 11<sup>th</sup>.

The Dallas Veterans parade committee is indebted to your support.

Cordially,

Jeffery Kahla, Maj Gen USAF (Ret.)
Dallas Veterans Day Committee

Bill Solemene, Lt Col USAF (Ret.)
Dallas Veterans Day Committee

<sup>&</sup>quot;Saluting those who are serving, those who have served, and those who have made the ultimate sacrifice"



## TARRANT COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT CONFINEMENT BUREAU ADMINISTRATION

100 N. LAMAR FORT WORTH, TEXAS 76196-0196 October 19, 2001

Mr. John Irvin
Executive Director of Operations
WFAA Television
606 Young Street
Dallas, Texas 75202

Sir,

This past week the Tarrant County Jail received video equipment from Floyd Cable for broadcasting Closed Circuit Crime Stopper information within the jail.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous contribution of the equipment your organization donated to the Tarrant County Jail. It will be put to good use.

Thank you again for the contribution.

Sergeant J. S. Underwood

Confinement Bureau Administration

JU/bm

CC: Chief Bob Knowles



### Texas House of Representatives

State Representative

Helen Giddings

District 109

May 7, 2001

Mr. Gary Reeves Senior Reporter WFAA-TV 606 Young St. Dallas, TX 75202

Dear Gary:

Now I know why you are often referred to as the "dean" of reporters in the Dallas area. You do a masterful job in presenting the news in a fair and objective manner, yet allowing a glimpse of the human element.

You and Shelly Kofler and other members of the Channel 8 News team did a fine job of reporting the unfortunate vandalism of St. Luke "Community" United Methodist Church.

Your inclusion of the human element of how this personally touched me (although I am intensively private about personal feelings) and other members of St.Luke, made the story real to your viewers. It was no longer "just television." Sometimes when we do our jobs and do them well (as you do on a consistent basis) there are expected and unexpected consequences. Here, the unexpected consequence was that your call to Shelly to interview me started a chain reaction. The chain was my personal privilege speech on the House floor - members of the House joining me to approach the Senate - Senators making personal privilege speeches - a Senator reconsidering his vote to have the bill on the Senate floor and now the promise of a full hearing.

Gary, thank you for the job that you do in reporting the news fairly and objectively in a consistent manner.

Sincerely,

Helen Giddings State Representative

CC: Kathy Clements-Hill

David Duitch

Dr. Zan Wesley Holmes

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Regisso Sandi

I would like to chank you for broadcasting the Easter Sunday, 11:00 An service on Channel 8. Also, for broadcasting the Palm Sunday service last week.

Palm Sunday service last week.

I really appreciated being able to see these two service from one local churches. Thank you.

Sincerely, Ju Will

The mission of the American Heart Association is to luce disability and death from cardiovascular diseases and stroke.



Fighting Heart Disease and Stroke Fort Worth Metropolitan Region 2401 Scott Avenue Fort Worth, Texas 76103 Tel 817 315 5000 Fax 817 315 5220 www.americanheart.org

April 1, 2003

Lori Conrad **KRLD-AM 1080** 1080 Ballpark Way Arlington, TX 76011

Dear Lori,

Thank you for your support of American Heart Month during February. Our mission at the American Heart Association is to ensure the community is aware of their No. 1 and No. 3 health threats and are armed with the knowledge needed to do something about it.

Claiming one person every 33 seconds, heart disease and stroke are the number one and three killers in North Texas. Through your support, we have been able to educate our community about the risk factors of heart disease and life-saving CPR training and AED programs.

Again, thank you for your continuous support. We look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

A'Lisha Williams

Kisha Williams

Communications Director

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Mr. Jerry Bobo KRLD NewsRadio 1080 1080 Ballpark Way Arlington, TX 76011

Dear Jerry:

In these turbulent times, it's immensely gratifying to witness Dallas' unwavering commitment to volunteerism as we did at the 23<sup>rd</sup> annual Outstanding Volunteer of the Year Awards Celebration on April 14th. The room brimmed with civic responsibility and passion for our community. More than 1000 people gathered to honor extraordinary individuals, groups and businesses whose selfless actions inspire and motivate. The tireless efforts of these and other such volunteers strengthen the nonprofit sector - this year in particular.

As a Corporate Partner, your generosity allows the Volunteer Center to provide this celebration, a vehicle through which we can applaud our great citizens. You consistently demonstrate a strong dedication to volunteerism and the Volunteer Center. For that we are truly grateful. You enable us to distribute millions of dollars in donated time and materials to the North Texas nonprofit community.

We have received many compliments on the video that showcased our winners. A civic-minded individual has donated his time and resources by creating this video for the 2002 and 2003 luncheon. We have enclosed Rick Hublein's business card with the hope that you will call him the next time your company has creative or media design needs.

Thank you for supporting our annual tribute and salute to the volunteers who give so unselfishly of their time and talents. Most importantly, thanks for being one of our greatest champions!

Sincerely,

Julie Thomas **Executive Director**  Andrea Cavanagh

Director of Development

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